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THE DEAD LIVETH—SPIRITUAL MANIFESTATIONS.

[Kirkville (Mo.) Journal.]

EDITOR JOURNAL: For some months past articles have appeared from time to time in the public prints in regard to some mysterious and startling manifestations of spirit power (so-called) represented as occurring in the presence of one J. H. Mort, a citizen of Memphis, Scotland county, Mo.

Desiring to test the matter, a party was formed to visit Memphis. This party consisted of myself and wife, John Bernard, Henry Ivey, George Fletcher, John Gill and daughter—all or nearly all well known in this city and old residents of the county. After a pleasant drive we arrived at Memphis on Friday evening. Elder Theobald Miller having an appointment at Bible Grove for Sunday, and knowing that we were on the trip and its purpose, joined us at Memphis.

We found the residence of Mr. Mort, an unpicturesque cottage in the suburbs, where we were made welcome by himself and wife. Mr. Mort is a man of medium height, dark hair, rather light build, and is about thirty years of age. His family consists of a wife and one child; is well connected, generally respected by his fellow-townsmen, and very quiet and unassuming in his appearance.

I shall not occupy your time with a detailed or circumstantial report of the two sittings attended by our party, as they would require too much of your space, but will give you a brief description of the sittings. About 8 o'clock, after having locked the doors, wired the window shutters, searched the cabinet, which is merely the hall or entry opening into the sitting room, and thoroughly satisfying ourselves that everything was right, the temporary door was hung between the entry and the sitting-room. This door, at the height of about five feet and a half, contained an aperture or opening probably twelve inches in height and nearly the width of the door. Over this aperture was hung a curtain, to keep out the light. The hall or cabinet contained a hat-rack, a chair, a bell and a common stand, on which lay a common bouquet and a few sheets of note paper, also a child's drum.

A half circle, composed of our party, Mrs. Mort and another lady, was then formed, facing the cabinet door; the lamp was turned a little down, and placed in a position to shine diagonally on the opening. The medium took a seat in the cabinet and the door was closed. Hands were joined, and the circle united in singing. In a few moments a bell was rung, then the drum was begun in time with the music. So far, nothing startling. Is this all? We felt like saying. But hush—as the singing proceeds the curtains part, and a face appears. Mrs. Mort, being next the opening, stands up and says, "Good evening, General." Then she introduced the face to each in turn as Gen. Bledsoe, formerly of the Confederate Army. Then others, purporting to be the "band" that controls the manifestations, presented themselves. Is this to be all? "Sing," comes in a whisper from the mysterious curtain. We sing when another face presents itself. Mrs. M. asks, who is it? "Dennis." Who do you wish to ask, Billy? We are the only Billy we know of in the circle. We step to the aperture, the curtain opens, and there stands as we knew him in the flesh, our friend, JOSEPH P. DENNIS.

where from we followed to the tomb many years ago. The same peculiar features, the same hair and whiskers, the same expression, all complete. My God, can this be a cheat and a delusion. But he speaks in a whisper, yet plain and distinct at times, at others drowned by the singing. "Billy, thank God for this. I am so glad to meet you and the friends here."

Old friends are remembered, circumstances mentioned, and tests given, till we are compelled to explain. This is truly my friend, who was dead, yet liveth. We step back and let others approach. Each is greeted, each recognizes him. To my wife, "Anna you was a good friend." To John Bernard, "I remember you; we were slightly acquainted," to Henry Ivey, "How is Joe?"—and your mother, she was almost a mother to me; be a good boy, Henry. Before I died I saw my mother and the spirits around my bed, but they thought my mind wandering when I said so—but it was true, I will come to you again; good bye."

Next time the curtain opened the name of Thomas was announced, and the writer again asked for. We looked, and there was our old schoolmate, IRA THOMAS.

plain and distinct, in full form, from head to foot clothed as we had often seen him. A message was given for his father and mother, circumstances mentioned, etc. Each one in the circle saw him, and Mr. Fletcher, also an old acquaintance, fully satisfied of his identity. Writing without notes we cannot give the order in which the spirit friends appeared but only the fact. A spirit asked for Theobald; Elder Miller found it to be his mother, and conversed with her lovingly and reverently. Then a daughter and a sister came, and with loving fingers patted his cheek and smoothed his

hair. His daughter said she died at Kirkville, Kentucky, and spoke of her tombstone being broken—a test—conversed on family matters, and past events followed, until the Elder was compelled to admit of a truth this is indeed my loved one gone before. Then came James Ivey, recognized by several in the crowd, but too weak to talk much this time. At a late hour our first sitting closed.

Saturday night the tests were still better. We need not give the particulars further than that during the day the county hand-cuffs had been secured, and with these the medium was thoroughly secured and placed in the cabinet.

Dr. Dennis, true to his promise, came again, and after a greeting called for a paper and pencil. We procured them, and there before all, with great rapidity, he wrote the following, the original of which is now in my possession, and can be examined any time.

WILL: Thank God that we can come back and see you and converse with you, and tell you of the children and the home.

And tell a friend is near;

A word of sympathy.

To dry the children's eyes.

My friend WILL, take good care of yourself. Good-bye; give love to all.

J. P. DENNIS.

This I saw him write; so did the others. On the last evening Mr. Bernard was called for; met and recognized his brother, while others present did see the family resemblance. This spirit was remarkably well materialized, plain and palpable to the eyes of all present. He spoke of the old home in West Virginia, told the cause of his death, referred to private family matters, mentioned the different members of the family, told Mr. Bernard that his boy Winnie had been shot that day, but was better, which was verified on his return to Kirkville. He finally showed himself again still more plainly, so much so that there remains not a single doubt of his identity. He also wrote.

James Ivey was announced, and his brother in the circle was called for. He stepped forward and a conversation ensued, in which the spirit told the manner of his death, inquired about friends, and said to Henry, "You did not believe this when you came here," said he would like to see mother, etc.

Other spirits were named as present, but unable to materialize, among them a brother of Mr. Ivey, killed by the kick of a mule many years ago; also his father, Wm. Ivey, announced by name. It was stated that a boy who was killed by mowing machinery near this place was present, also a preacher from Iowa, who died while in attendance at the M. E. Conference. Also Colonel McCullough, shot at this place by the Federal authorities after the battle.

The mother of the writer, who passed over when he was a mere child, came and was recognized by his father as real. A number of others not mentioned in this report were seen, and some identified. Near the close of the sitting, a Dr. Reed presented himself at the opening with a young infant, and all the persons present were permitted to see him and infant at the same time.

When the sitting closed, the medium was found still handcuffed and much exhausted. It is claimed that these things are done by purely natural and scientific means, and that the spirit is the force of the circle through the medium being used to sufficiently materialize the spirit to enable them to be visible for a short time. Even without the evidence of the two senses of seeing and touch, the internal or mental tests, the naming of dates, facts and incidents were sufficient to convince any candid man that there is a reality in the matter. I am authorized to say that each one present is ready and willing to make affidavit to make affidavit to the substantial truth of what we have here narrated. We do not believe, but we know of a fact that these things have occurred, and only ask those who doubt to go and see for themselves.

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Masonic Notice.

Los Angeles Lodge No. 52, F. & A. M. The 11th of this Lodge will hold on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Members of Pentalpha, No. 202, and all Master Masons in good standing are invited. S. C. FOX, W. M. CHAS. SMITH, Secretary.

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LEAVES LOS ANGELES: FOR Wilmington 10:00 A. M. 11:15 A. M. San Fernando 11:30 " 12:45 P. M. Spadra 1:00 " 2:15 P. M. Wilmington 1:30 " 2:45 " Netos 4:30 " 5:30 "

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LOS STEAMER DAYS. Time of trains between Los Angeles and Wilmington will be varied so as to connect with steamer. Train between Los Angeles and Netos will stop at the following points on Alameda street for passengers only, to wit: KOHLER ST., WASHINGTON, and RUBENS. The time of C. Ducommun, corner Commercial and Main streets, has been adopted by this company. ag22-1-74 E. E. HEWITT, Sup't.

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We understand that the Railroad Company have decided to lay their track through the south west side of Anaheim. The location of the depot is not yet determined.

THE Express is again digging away at the Council and the Council is doing much as did the moon when the canine barked at it—keeping right along as if nothing had happened.

THE Sacramento Union calls the Stockton Independent the Cow-Catcher. Now we happen to know something about the Independent and we know to call it a "Cow-Catcher" is applying a misnomer. The paper is too slow to catch anything. If placed on the rear of a train propelled by the force of its own intellect almost any old cow would soon catch it.

We are just now hearing a good deal of railroad talk. What it will amount to is one of those things which no one can guess. The prospect of a road from the coast through this city, and by way of Cajon Pass on to Cerro Gordo, seems more flattering than ever before. Senator Jones and his friends regard the enterprise very favorably and will no doubt materially aid in carrying it out. Our citizens should not let the present opportunity slip by unimproved.

A. DELANO, of Grass Valley, died on Tuesday last. The deceased was well and popularly known throughout the State as the author of "Old Block's Sketch Book," "Pen and Knife Sketches," and "Life on the Plains and at the Diggings." He also wrote hundreds of newspaper articles and stories. He was an upright, honorable man, and commanded the respect of all who knew him. He leaves a family and a large circle of friends, who will remember him with affection and friendship.

RETURNS from the North Carolina election, from all but eleven counties give this result on the vote for Superintendent of Public Instruction:

Pool (Dem.).....\$8,445  
Furnell (Rep.).....\$7,013

Democratic majority.....11,432

In the eleven counties yet to hear from, the vote in 1872 was about equally divided between the Democrats and Republicans. That year Grant carried the State by 23,904 majority. In 1872 the Legislature stood: Democratic majority on joint ballot, 24. This year the Democratic majority is 72.

THE up-country journals are growing facetious over the decision of a Los Angeles jury that found a man sane while examining him on a charge of insanity and immediately afterward, while trying him on a charge of attempt to kill, pronounced him insane. It does look curious, but considered from an emotional standpoint, the two verdicts may be made to harmonize. The man was crazy when he attempted the killing, but he was not crazy when the jury looked at him from a crazy standpoint. The explanation is a little hazy yet, but it is as clear as we can make it.

#### Poetry the Key to Truth.

Do not confound the poetical way of viewing things with the expression of poetry. Poetry, the first and finest of the fine arts, is the making of a noble use, according to our talents and opportunities, of such amiable and noble emotions as we are capable of. And this may be done through the medium of words, when the perfect expression constitutes written verse, or it may be done through marble, or painting, or music. But there must be grounds for the noble emotions before they can be experienced, and these come of the habit of viewing things poetically, and are supplied by the imagination, which, contemplating nature as a world of emblems, is received and used by the poetic faculty, having nothing in them defective or unworthy. No poet worthy the name lives in illusions. He is the high priest of truth as well as a singer and a painter of beautiful scenes. When there are two interpretations offered of a given difficulty or of any question whatever that refers to matters above secular and physical needs, that solution which men would call poetical, or opposed to prosaic, may infallibly be relied upon as the truest and highest. It was not without reason that the ancients accounted poetry the language of the gods and of divinely inspired men. As the expression of the silent and universal symbolism of nature, touching men's hearts at every point, and exciting noble emotions in those who listened, poetry could not fail to be regarded as heaven-born. To this day we acknowledge it to be so. The inspiration of the past is forced upon us, whether spoken through the medium of the pen, or of the marble, canvas or lute. Some old writer once mentioned the marriage of religion with poetry, having been instituted at the foundation of the world. The idea was a grand one; for by effecting such a union, we can conceive how easy for the mind to flow in a mighty stream of cause and effect. Every object then has its beauty, and every beauty adorns itself with the coloring of moral eloquence. Moral science, social science, and natural science like the graces, should go hand in hand, and ever recognize the poetic faculty as belonging to their sisterhood. And all should be enlisted in the pursuit of truth so that at the same time the heart may be affected, and the mind purified.

#### The Mayorality.

Among the several worthy gentlemen whose names have been mentioned in connection with the candidacy for Mayor, Mr. P. BEAUDRY, present member of the Common Council from the Second Ward, is probably the most popular with the people, besides being a man possessed of those qualities—energy, intelligence and far sightedness—which a proper regard for the interests, present and future, of our city requires in the Mayor. Mr. BEAUDRY became a resident of Los Angeles in the early part of the year 1852 and his interests have been here ever since. In 1854 he purchased what is now known as Beaudry Block and thenceforth he has been engaged in building up and improving some part of the city. His attention was attracted to the hill lands in the north western part of the city as early as 1856, and when he said that elevated plateau would one day be covered with dwellings surrounded by groves and gardens, he was called wild and visionary. Those lands were considered next to worthless and the wise thought it an excellent joke to sell Mr. BEAUDRY tracts here and there for nominal sums. Who the joke was on will be seen from the light of subsequent events. From one piece for which Mr. BEAUDRY paid \$517 he has sold lots to the amount of \$6,000 or \$7,000 and still has one-half of the land. For the Bellevue Terrace tract he paid \$1,500, divided it into 150 lots from which he realized \$35,000 and has Bellevue Terrace, one of the most beautiful spots in the city remaining. He purchased the plot known as Beaudry Terrace for \$55, sold \$5,000 worth of lots, has half of it left on which stand five or six cottages that pay two per cent. on the money invested. These are the results of the jokes played on Mr. BEAUDRY by the wise ones in selling him hill lands. Mr. BEAUDRY was one of the organizers and the first President of the original Los Angeles Water Company, and until its last assessment was paid he owned one-fifth of its stock. He was one of the originators and organizers of the Canal and Reservoir Company. He went out on the river with Capt. MOORE and GEO. HANSEN, and demonstrated the practicability of conveying the water over the proposed route. He has taken active part in each of the steamship and railroad enterprises inaugurated for the advancement of the interests of our city and valley. It is due to Mr. BEAUDRY's energy that the hill lands, once considered worthless, and from which the city derived no revenue, are now assessed at \$120 per acre. It is hazardous nothing to say that he will yet increase the assessment value of this property to at least \$2,000 per acre. As early as 1857 Mr. BEAUDRY conceived the idea of throwing water on the hill lands by means of steam power, and from time to time he purchased these lands as they were tendered him by those who considered them worthless. To-day an abundance of excellent water is flowing over the highest parts, forced there by an engine and pump through a system of pipes designed to irrigate the entire area, all costing not less than \$75,000. Mr. BEAUDRY has accomplished this great work unaided and alone. He has expended this vast sum of money against the judgment of his friends and amid the jeers of the wise ones, who called him a visionary. It is a grand work, and in its successful carrying out Mr. BEAUDRY has done more for Los Angeles than any other of her enterprising citizens. It is such a man as this that our city will need at the head of her municipal government in the future. Mr. BEAUDRY thoroughly understands the city's wants. He became a member of the Common Council in December, 1871, and has occupied a seat in that body ever since. He has devoted much time and study to street grading, the drainage question and the water system—three important problems which must be solved by the city authorities of next year. He is a man of superior intelligence, untiring energy and the purest integrity. With a Common Council composed of such men as may be, and we hope, will be selected, and with Mr. BEAUDRY as Mayor, the municipal affairs of Los Angeles will be ably and honestly conducted and the city will begin to show those improvements to which her wealth and beauty of location entitle her.

#### An Excellent Action.

The too common use of fire-arms among the youth of this city cost a boy his life a few days ago. It is said that many of the school boys carry pistols, and not unfrequently boast what they can do with them in case any one should be so unfortunate as to insult their "manhood." It is high time a stop was put to this juvenile pistol practice, and the following resolution, passed by the Board of Education at its meeting yesterday, may do some good in that direction. We call the attention of parents to it, as by so doing they may prevent the expulsion of their boys from the school. The resolution reads as follows: "Resolved, that any scholar who shall bring with him to the school, or who may have in his possession during school hours, any dangerous weapon, shall be immediately dismissed from the schools of the city."

S. A. Waldron has one thousand dollars in legal tenders, which he wishes to sell. Call at the Dollar Store.

At about 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon Mr. Mosen's house, situated on Petaluma street, Gold Hill, was discovered to be on fire, causing damage to the extent of \$9,000.

#### THE PACIFIC MAIL.

From an extensive article in the Alta, devoted to an exhibit of the present condition of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's lines, we condense the following points of interest: Within the past year the company has already added to their fleet about six new iron screw steamers, of which four cost half a million each, and two cost three hundred and fifty thousand dollars each.

Recently they have launched two of the finest steamships in the world, the City of Peking and City of Tokio, each costing one million one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. They are now in New York, receiving their machinery and outfit, and will both sail for San Francisco within the next thirty and sixty days.

In building these ships, every precaution and experience has been availed of, and it is confidently expected that they will be able to make the run from Hongkong to San Francisco, via Yokohama, in twenty days, as they are guaranteed by the builder, under a heavy forfeit, to make 14 knots per hour.

Six new iron steamships already running are paid for, and the two now finishing will leave New York with clean titles.

CHINA LINE.

On the arrival of the new vessels at San Francisco, the Company's China line will be composed of the Great Republic, China, Japan, City of London, and City of Tokio, the Alaska and Colorado, now running on this route, will be held as spare ships—one at Hongkong, the other at San Francisco—for use in emergencies, to load when required as extra ships during the tea season.

The Company have recently closed a contract with Messrs. John Roach & Son, of Chester, Pa., for three new iron steamships for their China line. They will probably be better adapted to that trade than anything yet built. They will all be fifty feet longer than the Colima, with one additional deck, and will cost \$700,000 each, including outfit; the contract price for iron work being \$600,000. They will carry 800 steerage passengers and 3,000 measurement tons of freight.

They are to be finished within twelve months, and will have 50 per cent. more power than the Colima, with six boilers instead of four, and 90 pounds pressure compound engines. Their speed are to be sixteen knots per hour, or "the fastest of any steamships in the world."

They are building in accordance with the regulations of Bureau Veritas, and are to be 15 to 20 per cent. stronger than are required by English Lloyd's.

In addition to the three new iron screw steamships already referred to, the Company has under contract two others, all of which are to be engaged in the trade of this port with China and Japan. The five, when complete, will cost over four million dollars.

The company originally expended \$6,000,000 to open up the trade of this port with China, and they now propose to retain what they have so largely developed, by bringing teas, silks, etc., from China and Japan at as low a rate of freight as any line now or hereafter on this route.

After the arrival here of the Peking and Tokio, the aggregate capacity per annum of the China steamers alone will be 26,000 tons weight, or 65,000 tons measurement.

The present administration desire to so conduct the company's affairs as to merit the hearty approval of this community, believing that by so doing they will best succeed in placing the company upon a sound and permanent basis, alike profitable to themselves and their patrons. And suggestions tending to this end will, we hear, be cheerfully received and acted upon as far as practicable, and such will be considered the truest and who thus aim to assist in correcting any outstanding abuses.

It is undeniable that the West Coast of North America has a brilliant future before it, and its business on the Pacific Ocean will never be less than at present. A large fleet of steamers will inevitably be required for the growing necessities of its commerce.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company have ships and experience necessary to develop and conduct this business profitably. They now seem determined to keep thoroughly up with the times, by building new iron steamers having all the latest improvements in speed and comfort.

Last but not least, they are emphatically a California creation, associated with its growth, and the company, standing alone, has maintained a fleet of carrying vessels which have flown at their peak, for over a quarter of a century, through fair weather and foul, a flag that should be the pride of every true American heart.

#### NEW TO-DAY.

All People are warned not to trust To appearances, but to judge for themselves whether the new goods they receive do embrace the best of everything in the line of Imported and Domestic Cigars, Cigarettes, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, and the various articles generally, at L. GOLDSMITH'S, Main St., adjoining W. F. & Co.'s Express, sep22

A GOOD FARM—60 ACRES OF LAND, well improved, is offered for rent by CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT, 21 Spring street, sep22

WANTED.—EMPLOYMENT as House-keeper in a small family, or to do Chamber-work, by a lady recently from Massachusetts, bringing the best of recommendations. Apply to MRS. WILDE, sep22

DUPUY & SHORT, GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, 143 MAIN STREET.

Next door to the Pioneer Stable.

SALE AT AUCTION Saturday, September 12, 1874. DUPUY & SHORT

Will sell several Horses, Top & Open Buggies & Harness Sale at 10 o'clock A. M. sep12

ELECTION NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE qualified electors of Silver School District that an election will be held on Saturday, the 20th day of September, A. D. 1874, which will be to elect the question of voting a tax for building a new school-house, which will be held on the new school-house. It will be necessary to raise for this purpose the sum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) and the rate of taxation necessary to be levied will be seven cents upon the one hundred dollars of taxable property in the district.

The polls will be open at the public school-house between the hours of 8 A. M. and 4 P. M. W. WOLFE, G. W. CARLTON, WM. CARLTON, Trustees of Silver District. sep22

WOOL. WE WISH TO PURCHASE WOOL of the incoming clip, for which we will pay the market rate. J. L. WARD & CO., 47 Main street, aug14

#### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

##### CAMP-MEETING EXCURSION!!

##### Excursion Train to Nietos

Sunday, Sept. 13, 1874.

Leave Los Angeles at 10:15 A. M.

RETURNING.

Leave Nietos at 6:15 P. M.

FARE, for round trip, - - \$1.

E. E. HEWITT, Superintendent. sep22

##### THE DECKER.

The King of Pianos, STANDS UNRIVALED.

KOHLER, CHASE & CO., WHOLESALE AGENTS, 633 Clay street, San Francisco.

J. D. PATRICK, No. 60 Spring street, AGENT for Los Angeles, the Southern Metropolis of the State of California. sep6-1m

##### EIGHTY ACRES

OF Splendid Land for Sale CHEAP.

ADJOINING THE RACE TRACK, and only 3 1-2 miles from the Postoffice. Quality of soil for farming or growing Semi-Tropical Fruit trees, equal to the best.

PRICE, \$35 per Acre, If sold within two weeks. For further information, apply immediately to CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT, Real Estate Brokers, No. 21 Spring street, Nearly opposite Postoffice, Los Angeles. sep12

##### EIGHT

SPLENDID BUILDING LOTS ON MAIN STREET, at from

\$600 to \$700!!

The most desirable portion of the City for Residences.

This is a rare chance to purchase good property at a very low figure. Apply immediately to CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT, Real Estate Brokers, 21 Spring St., opposite Postoffice. sep6-1m

##### HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

LOCATED ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE Plaza. House contains

Five Large Rooms, Kitchen, Bath and Store-rooms, and four or five fine large Closets.

The house is nearly all hand finished, and is in the finest order and ready for occupancy. The lot is about 30 feet front by 200 feet deep, and runs through to Alameda street.

This property is owned by Mr. Geo. R. Butler, who offers it for sale in consequence of his removal to his place in the country.

PRICE, - - \$3,500. Apply to CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT, REAL ESTATE BROKERS, 21 Spring street, opposite Postoffice. sep6-1m

##### MAGNIFICENT

Orchard Property for Sale!!

THIRTY-FIVE ACRES OF LAND—SOIL equal to the best in the valley—located three-fourths of a mile from the Postoffice; planted in thirty vines and fruit trees, including 600 grafted fruit trees, embracing 40 very choice varieties, nearly all over twenty years old and overladen with luscious fruit; 30 orange trees, over twenty-four years old, some of which yield 5,000 oranges yearly; 15 lemon trees, about 15 years old; a large variety of smaller trees, amounting in all to about 800. Also, a full variety of nut, olive and citron trees, too numerous to mention. Also,

10,000 VINES BEARING, A beautiful flower garden, small house, well of abundant and excellent water. The revenue from this property is over one and one-quarter percent per month on amount invested. The

Greatest Bargain in Real Estate Now in the market.

PRICE, \$12,000 CASH

Apply to CHAMBERLIN & BANCROFT, REAL ESTATE BROKERS, Spring street, nearly opposite the P. O. sep8-1f

E. E. FISHER. L. W. THATCHER.

##### THE Great Jewelry House

OF

67 MAIN ST., - - - Los Angeles, Cal.

Manufacture, Repair and Sell Everything in their line, at Manufacturer's Prices. sep12

##### Montana Meat Market.

FRIGELINGER & FRANK. The best and tenderest Meats in the market. None but the Prime Beef and Mutton ever to be found. Note the address—Montana Meat Market, Main Street, near First, Los Angeles. Jan13-3

#### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

##### JUST RECEIVED

AT NO. 60, SPRING ST.

ONE 7 OCTAVE EMERSON PIANO, BOSTON, \$400.

ONE CONTINENTAL, 7 1/2 OCTAVE, NEW YORK, \$375.

ONE HALE, 7 1/2 OCTAVE, NEW YORK, \$350.

ALL NEW FROM THE EAST.

No second hand piano advertised without stating the fact. Will deliver, at five days' notice any standard piano in the San Francisco market. All the above pianos guaranteed for five years.

We, the undersigned, ordered pianos from Mr. J. D. Patrick, about two months ago. They are in perfect condition, and give the best of satisfaction.

T. WOLLEBER, J. L. WARD, Steamers Line Agent.

Pianos, Violins, Guitars, Accordionists, etc., REPAIRED AND TUNED.

J. D. PATRICK, Piano Agent, sep6-1w-dw No. 60 Spring St., Los Angeles.

##### EXTENSIVE REAL ESTATE SALE BY AUCTION.

DOWNEY LAND ASSOCIATION, DOWNEY CITY.

Some Sixteen Blocks will be offered

In lots ranging in size from

25 feet to 70 feet Front.

Also, many beautiful

RESIDENCE LOTS

from one half acre to two acres in size.

There is not a town in the vicinity of Los Angeles that has grown with the rapidity of Downey City, and with so many permanent improvements.

The Hall of the Odd Fellows and Masons is a magnificent building, and is now completed. There are also three Stores, a Market House, and an immense Ware House capable of storing many millions of bushels of grain, sixty Dwelling houses, and many more in process of erection.

Messrs. NOYES & DURFEE

are the Auctioneers selected to make the sale. A map of the town can be seen at their office, corner of Temple Block and Spring St.

MR. M. D. CRAWFORD, the Agent for the Association, resides at Downey City, and can be found at all times of the day, superintending the erection of the

New and Elegant Hotel,

which will be one of the most pleasant and comfortable suburban Hotels in the county.

The sale will take place at Downey City, on

TUESDAY, September 22d, 1874.

An Excursion Train will be run out for the accommodation of purchasers.

M. D. CRAWFORD, Agent for Association.

NOYES & DURFEE, Auctioneers. sep5-1d

##### Mr. A. H. HAVELL

RESPECTFULLY TO STATE THAT he has opened his new Piano-forte Warerooms in

Anderson's Building,

MAIN STREET, opposite the new Catholic Church, with a full line of instruments by

Hallett & Davis, Boston, Vose,

New York, Dunham,

And others, which he proposes to sell at

San Francisco Prices,

And invites competition.

ORGANS BY WOOD

In great variety. Every instrument GUARANTEED FOR FIVE YEARS.

CALL AND SEE THEM!

CALL AND HEAR THEM!

Pianos, Organs,

Tuned Properly, Carefully Regulated, and Thoroughly Repaired.

LESSONS GIVEN

On the PIANO, ORGAN, VOCAL CULTURE, HARMONY, THOROUGH BASS, &c.

PLEASE APPLY FOR TERMS.

Every Instrument sold by me is warranted New. aug30-1f

##### SOMETHING NEW.

R. DAVIS & CO., AUCTIONEERS

ARCADIA BLOCK, Los Angeles Street,

Just Received, a fine lot of

FURNITURE

From the Eastern States. Must positively be sold at

PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON

Saturday, Sept. 12th.

All those in want of fine Furniture should attend this Auction, as the consignment is very large, viz:

Solid Walnut Suites.

Enamelled Suites.

Extension Tables.

Marble Top Tables.

Breakfast Tables.

LARGE MIRRORS.

Bronze Clocks.

Dining-room Chairs.

Parlor Suites in best of Colors.

Plated Ware.

Spring Mattresses.

Marble Top Hat Beds.

All of which, must positively be sold to the highest bidder at our

SPACIOUS SALESROOM, No. 2 Arcadia Block.

Sale at 11 o'clock, A. M.

N. B.—R. DAVIS & CO., will give their special attention to out-door sales for families and store-keepers, on the most reasonable terms. sep12

##### FOR SALE.

100 ACRES FIRST-CLASS LAND UN-der improvement, near Compton.

Over \$2,000 worth of improvements on the land. All enclosed. Offered for sale to pay off a mortgage. For particulars, apply to W. R. Maitland on the premises, or to W. Morgan, Agent, No. 4 Temple Block. at-1m-2

##### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Louisa M. de Chavez, and her children, Guadalupe, Frederic and Marco, will apply to the Common Court of Sessions on September 17th, 1874, for a quit-claim deed to the following described land:

Commencing at a post adjoining the land of John S. Griffin and running south 33 1/2° east 42 1/2° to a post; thence south 30° west 22 1/2° to the land of Wilbur Hart to a corner; thence south 20° east 6 1/2° to the old Mission road; thence north 73 1/2° along said road; thence north 88° west following along said road 10 1/2° to the south-easterly corner of the tract; thence north 16 1/2° west 3 1/2° to the north-easterly line of river; thence along north-easterly line of river; thence containing 3 1/2 acres. Courses magnetic.

Anyone objecting to the granting of said petition, must file their objection at least one day prior to said meeting of the Common Court.

M. KHEMER, Clerk of Common Court, sep22

#### MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

## "LIVE AND LET LIVE," IS OUR MOTTO.

And we mean to do the fair thing with the Public. Not sell a few leading articles below cost, and make it up on other goods, but we will sell ALL CLASS OF GOODS at merely a living profit. You will find now in our store, the very best stock of

## DOMESTIC GOODS.

Also, a full line of the newest and prettiest Dress goods, such as

Black Silk,



TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

ONE DOLLAR per square of ten lines, first insertion, and TWENTY-FIVE cents per square for each subsequent insertion.

POSTAL CHANGES.

The following postal changes went into operation, July 1st, 1874: All publications are free of postage to subscribers in the county in which they are published. Books and packages of merchandise, to the weight of four pounds, can be sent by mail at the rate of one cent for every two ounces or fraction over. Tied packages may be sent by mail, and must be opened for inspection.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Senator sailed for San Francisco yesterday.

The Ventura is advertised to sail for San Francisco and Santa Barbara today.

Dr. Lucky will not be able to repeat his sermon to-day on the subject, "Wine is a Mockery," as announced.

The gas throughout the city will be turned off at 12 o'clock to-night. Let consumers govern themselves accordingly.

It is reported that the work of dredging Wilmington bar will be commenced on Tuesday next, according to contract.

As Rev. A. M. Campbell will be in attendance at the camp meeting at Los Nietos, there will be no preaching at Grange Hall to-day.

Mr. I. Goldsmith, the enterprising tobaccoist, has just returned from San Francisco with a fine lot of imported cigars. If you are a smoker go and sample his stock.

The brig Hispanian, M. Wilkinson Master, arrived at Wilmington yesterday, eight days from Humboldt, bringing one hundred and sixty thousand feet of lumber, shingles, shakes and posts to Griffith & Lynch.

The Rev. Wm. H. Hill will preach in the Episcopal Church, corner of New High and Temple streets, to-day at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Subject of the evening discourse, "Blessings Cursed." Seats free, and all are invited.

The Pacific Mail Company's Panama steamer leaving San Francisco Thursday next will call at San Pedro for passengers and freight for New York and way ports, and if sufficient inducement be offered, these calls will be continued every two weeks.

The stores of our Jewish citizens were closed generally through the city yesterday, in honor of the Hebrew New-Year. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Edelman at the Synagogue, and a large congregation was present.

September has an R in it; ergo, oysters are now good. Oystermen report that a blight has struck the oysters of our coast, however, and those known as "Shoalwaters" are considerably affected.

Miss Emma L. Hawks, of the Sacramento High School, has accepted the position tendered her as assistant in our High School. She will be here next Wednesday and assume the duties of her position at once.

A correspondent writing from Meridian, Miss., thus compliments the Herald: I desire to offer you my cordial thanks for several numbers of your very interesting Journal. After devoting its contents to myself, I lay it on the tables of our Library rooms to be read by the people generally.

Many of our citizens will visit the camp meeting to-day, taking advantage of the excursion train which leaves the depot at 10:15 this morning. Mr. Dupuy will have a bus running from the depot at Los Nietos to the camp grounds.

Rev. Dr. White of the Presbyterian church will preach in Good Templars' Hall this morning at the usual hour. Sabbath School will be held at half twelve. In the evening the third lecture of the series on "The Teachings of Scripture and Deductions of Geology," will be delivered.

Charles Miller, the man arrested for burglary by officer Harris the other day, was arraigned before Judge Gray yesterday and his trial set for Tuesday next. He proves to be an old offender and his self-complacent bearing before the Court is evidence that he has been there before and often.

Rev. Mr. Packard, of the Congregational Church, has not been able to return to the city, as expected, and will not fill his pulpit until next Sunday. To-day Rev. Mr. Devine will officiate in the morning services. The Sabbath School will be held at the usual hour. No services in the evening.

The Anaheim Californian makes a summary of our article on the artesian wells south of Los Angeles, and says that John C. Hogan, of Compton, furnishes the Express with the interesting statistics. The items in question were furnished the Herald by Mr. Hogan and printed by us. Afterwards they were reprinted in the Express without credit.

Proposed to the communication from "B. L. P." on "Spiritual Phenomena," published in yesterday's Herald, we reproduce to-day an interesting article taken from the Kirkville (Mo.) Journal. The article is reprinted at the request of a number of our most prominent citizens, and is worthy a perusal. The Mr. Thomas who is referred to therein has relatives residing near Los Angeles. A communication from "G. T." on the same subject is crowded out of to-day's issue, but will appear Tuesday morning.

LETTER FROM DOWNEY CITY.

EDITOR HERALD: This place continues to improve rapidly; being the shipping point for all Los Nietos, it is well backed up. There is no division now, all agreeing that the depot is, and that it will remain, the point of business for this entire fertile section. During the short time they have done business here, the lumber dealers have sold nearly \$20,000 worth of lum-

ber. No better evidence is wanting to show that the people mean business. Buildings are assuming a better character and orchards are receiving considerable attention; in fact, but few places have not young fruit trees of almost every variety growing on them, and improvements in general are of a more substantial character than heretofore. With the present tide of immigration from the Eastern States, good farming land cannot be had at \$30 to \$50 per acre. Land upon which so much can be grown with so little water, and in many cases without any, is cheap at much higher figures. Letters of inquiry are being constantly received from persons desirous of escaping from the rigorous climate and uncertain farming of the East. The writer of this has received two letters of the above character during the present week. Many would have been here long ago, had they been aware of the advantages offered. Everything points to the inevitable conclusion that real estate every description must advance in price, and that its owners have a good thing of it, if they will but use it.

Nietos Station, Sept. 12th.

THE UNIVERSITY MUDDLE.

Resolutions passed by the Los Angeles Grange yesterday.

WHEREAS, The University of California was founded in pursuance of a grant of one hundred and fifty thousand acres of land from the United States given for the purpose of establishing a College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts; and—

WHEREAS, Prof. Ezra S. Carr was elected to fill the chair of Agriculture in 1859, he being the only member of the Faculty whose entire work was devoted to carrying out the special object of the Congressional Grant; and—

WHEREAS, The Regents have removed Prof. Carr from the position he has so long filled without giving him or his friends any reason for such removal; and—

WHEREAS, The Regents are endeavoring to abolish the Agricultural and Mechanical Arts department and erecting in their stead a college of letters for the express purpose of giving a classical education to the sons of the wealthy, entirely ignoring the wants of the Agricultural and Mechanical classes, doing all this in the express violation of law; and—

WHEREAS, The banking interests of the State have so far got control of the Regents that large sums of money belonging to the University Fund are deposited in the Bank of California; \$94,000 of which draws no interest at all, and \$79,000 is only drawing the nominal interest of 6 per cent; and—

WHEREAS, It appears from the report of the Regents to the joint committee of the last Legislature, that there are other losses of interest amounting to \$37,829 annually that might be saved to the University fund by prudent management. Therefore, be it—

Resolved, By Los Angeles Grange, No. 36, of the Patrons of Husbandry, that the removal of Professor Carr without showing cause for such action is a direct thrust at the agricultural and mechanical interests of the University and an insult to the laboring men of California.

Resolved, That the farmers and mechanics of California owe it to themselves and the State that the next Legislature is composed of men who will respect the University from its present mismanagement and restore it to the basis laid down in the Congressional grant for the establishment of an Agricultural and Mechanical College.

Resolved, That our confidence in Professor Carr is unshaken and that we heartily endorse the action of Worthy Master J. M. Hamilton, of the State Grange for the mainly course pursued by him as a member of the Board of Regents.

S. A. WALDRON, Secretary Los Angeles Grange.

A Sad Case.

Max Adeler says: That case of Yarnell's is exciting a good deal of interest down our way just now. Last Spring Yarnell commenced to visit one of the Metes girls, and for some time he was so attentive there that everybody said there would be a match. Towards July things seemed to be coming near a crisis, and in fact they were, for Yarnell had made up his mind to propose to Matilda. It was on Friday evening that he called for the purpose, and the weather being warm he sat in the parlor with her without a light, the front window being open. Yarnell didn't perceive a roach of smoke until it was too late. He excused himself for a moment, while he went into the hall to get it, and as he did so Matilda went out through the back door to get a glass of water. Her mother came in as she went, and when Yarnell returned, he found the old lady, who is a widow and also named Matilda, sitting on the sofa. Supposing of course that it was his own Matilda he summoned up courage and asked her to be his. The old lady was surprised; but widows are courageous, and she accepted him on the spot. Just as he was recovering from his amazement at the sound of her voice, a shriek was heard, and the young Matilda fell fainting on the carpet. Yarnell tried to explain, but Matilda refused to believe him, and finally he left the house in disgust. Then the old lady sued him for breach of promise, and Matilda acted as witness. It seems likely that Yarnell will lose, and if he does he will remain a bachelor.

Nevada Items.

The Nye county, Nevada, Democratic Convention on Thursday last, nominated J. P. McGee and P. Ellison for the Assembly.

The Richmond Company on Saturday, shipped 20,019, the Eureka Consolidated Company 27,305, and Hoosac Company 20,000 pounds of bullion by the K. K. Company shipped 80,000 pounds to Elko by private teams.

A meeting of the Nevada Pioneers was held Tuesday evening at National Guard Hall, Virginia City. A constitutional audit was held, and the following permanent officers were elected: President, Jacob Young, Jr.; Vice-Presidents, Thos. Carson, G. L. Hawkes and John Dhole of Virginia City, and J. A. Winterbauer and C. Cook of Gold Hill; Secretary, E. W. Kuster; Treasurer, George Mann; Marshal, Thomas Kelley; Board of Directors—C. J. Fogg, William McQuirk, A. J. Smith and William Corryell.

Latest Telegrams.

ANOTHER COMBINATION RUMOR.

MOULTON'S STATEMENT.

IT READS BAD FOR HENRY.

HE, HOWEVER, FEELS WELL.

EASTERN.

Rumored Consolidation.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The latest phase of the controversy between the Pacific Mail Company and the transcontinental railroad, is a rumored combination embracing the railroads between Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and San Francisco, for a new and powerful line on the Pacific. It is exclusively in the interests of the railroads and their European connections. The name of Stanford has been prominently mentioned in connection with the new enterprise. In an interview he said that if negotiations pending were successfully concluded, he thought he would visit Europe to make arrangements for the purchase of vessels. Russell Sage, the President of the Pacific Mail Company, expressed regret at the present conditions between the Pacific Mail Company and the Pacific Railroads, which he said was injurious to all parties. He claimed that his company were willing to do anything to put an end to the existing difficulties. He attached little importance to reports with regard to the establishment of a rival line. If the railroads attempted anything of the kind they could be at once enjoined for violation of their charters. It was quite likely, however, that Stanford and others would try to establish a line in connection with the railroad.

Moulton's Statement.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Moulton's statement appears in the Graphic, with fac-similes of the letters between Moulton and Beecher. Among the letters is one from Beecher to Moulton, enclosing a check and directing Moulton to use it at his discretion. Another is a friendly note, making an appointment. In it Mr. Beecher sends his love to Mrs. Moulton and says: "How dreadfully near the point she speaks sometimes." Also, a letter from Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Tilton's mother, in which she addressed Beecher as "My Dear Son," and asked him to help her pay the debt of her daughter. The letter closes as follows: "Do you know that I think it very strange that you should ask me to call you my son?" Moulton gives a letter dated July 28th, 1874, to show that up to that date Beecher had not felt harsh toward him, even though he had paid \$7,000 blackmail. The letter begins "My Dear Frank," and closes, "Yours most gratefully, H. W. B."

The Herald thus summarizes Moulton's statement: 1st. He shows that he did render efficient counsel and aid to Beecher after the publication of the Bowen letter and avers in this respect that Beecher had no cause to feel that he was not a blackmailer, but that Beecher was a blackmailer in that he availed himself of the power which Tilton had over Bowen to procure, through Chapin, from Bowen, a certificate of divorce. 2d. That the devices to which he, Moulton, resorted were Beecher's own suggestions, and made in an effort to help and save Beecher. 4th. He gives a justification which Beecher gave to him for his adultery with Mrs. Tilton, namely, this: "That his physical expression of love was as natural as the words of endearment he used towards her." This, Moulton says, was the first communication of the doctrine of free love he had ever heard, and it was impressed on his memory. 5th. That when he read to Mr. Beecher, from a letter of Tilton's to Bowen, the charge of rape made by Bowen, that Beecher deemed it necessary to tell him the truth with reference to the woman mentioned by Bowen, Beecher saying, "I did not commit rape, but it is true I had intercourse with the woman." Moulton said: "If you are on friendly terms, you had better have retraction, else you may be in Bowen's mercy." Beecher did go and obtain the best apology he could, which appears in the statement. It appears, also, from Moulton's statement, that the efforts of Gen. Butler have been towards the safety of Beecher, in order to save him and the country from the shame that would ensue from the publication of the whole truth. Butler has never appeared in New York on this question except at the suggestion of Beecher's counsel.

How Beecher Feels.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Beecher says he feels cheerful, and will return to Plymouth Church to resume his labors October 1st.

Senator Schurz Makes a Speech.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—At a large meeting held at St. Louis last night, to ratify the People's nomination, Senator Schurz made a speech fully endorsing the movement.

Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—The wool market is firm. California, 25¢ to 37¢, as to quality.

FOREIGN.

Railroad Collision.

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Held to Answer Steamer Arrivals.—Close at Pioneer Celebration.—The District Mortality List.

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The Montana arrived at Panama September 9th.

The steamer Newbern, from Colorado river, arrived this morning.

The Pioneer's celebration closed last night with a grand ball, which passed off very pleasantly.

The steamer Ventura, of Goodall, Nelson & Perkins' line, sails for southern ports to-day.

There were seventy-three deaths in the city this week, six of which were from scarlatina.

The attendance at the Bay District Fair to-day will be large. There will be a parade of roadsters, and trotting and running races in the afternoon.

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this morning from the Colorado river, brought about 250 men of the 23d Infantry, en route to the department of the Platte.

The Pacific Mail Company's steamer Granada sails for Panama at noon to-day.

The steamer Mikado, for Australia, and the public generally, that I have engaged one of the very best.

Miss Logan, the Eastern dress-maker, has removed to Los Angeles street, over Saml. Frazer's store. "Tw

Splendid gents suits. Coat pants and vest, for \$12, very heavy. Gents Satinet pants \$2 00 and \$2 50 at the Bazaar corner of Main and Requena streets.

Isaac Norton & Co., corner of Main and Requena streets, are now selling out their Spring and Summer stock at reduced prices. If you want to save money give them a call.

The quickest way to make a fortune is to buy your goods at the Bazaar, corner of Main and Requena streets.

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If you want to see a rush for boots and shoes, call at the factory of A. C. McDonald, No. 104 Main street. Orders are coming in so rapidly that five workmen are unable to supply the demand.

Agency Imperial of London and Queen of Liverpool, capital, \$18,000,000. North of London, capital, \$5,000,000, and Hartford of Hartford, capital, \$3,000,000. Office: Room 30, 3 Downey Block.

JOHN CARLIN, Agent, sep-14

The tide of immigration is steadily setting in, and the first thing eastern people do is to throw away their New York Hats and buy a new one of Deschap. They say there is no comparison between the two.

Agency Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company. Assets, \$21,000,000. Agency State Investment Insurance Company, and Marine. Assets, \$300,000, at Brodick's Book Store, near the Postoffice.

Go to the Fashionable Tailor, Fitzpatrick, when you want a fine suit of clothes. If you desire recommendation, ask any of his numerous customers, and you will be told that "Fitz" always does his work well, giving fine work, good material and reasonable prices.

Do you want a stylish and neat-fitting Boot or Shoe, then call at once on Wm. Slaney's Cosmopolitan Boot and Shoe Store, for he receives by every steamer the latest and best styles, and he sells them at such low prices that it is a help buying from your work specialty. He has engaged some of the best workmen that could be found in San Francisco, and he guarantees to give his customers all hand made boots and perfect fit at the same price that you pay for machine made shoes. Call and examine his samples and see for yourself, at 100 Main street, opposite Wells, Fargo & Co.'s. Sign of the Big Blue Boot.

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AT THE REQUEST OF THE Managers of the Mechanics' Industrial Fair, to be held at Los Angeles, Sept. 12th to 15th, the convenience of visitors from this district, this Company will issue

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During the continuance of the Fair, for EIGHTEEN DOLLARS

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I have twenty of the above CELEBRATED RAMS. Twelve of which are FOR SALE.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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